



# Great Basin Priority Summary Based on Most Recent 209's

Date: 9/7/2017

Priority	ST	Unit	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	%	Expected Contain	Complexity/IC	Crews Assigned		Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs	Threats
								Contained	Date		T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3		
New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin																	
1	NV	CCD	Tungsten	Full Suppression	60 m NE of Fallon, NV	17,300	+300	50%	9/10/17	Type 3 IC Thaler	6	4	0	1	1	1-HMGB, 3-HECM, 2-EMTs	High use range allotments, viewshed & watershed
2	UT	UWF	Tank Hollow	Full Suppression	19 m E of Spanish Fork, UT	9,159	+995	54%	10/15/17	Type 2 IMT Chadwick	1	8	2	1	3	One air attack platform and retain all aviation assets	Major high tension powerlines, smoke hazard to traffic.
3	UT	BRS	Uintah	Full Suppression	South end of Uintah UT, along I-84	619	0	85%	9/9/17	Type 3 IC Cooper	1	0	0	1	1	IMT	3 Structures destroyed
4	NV	NNS	The E	Full Suppression	On Elko Mtn, Elko NV	279	New	40%		Type 3 IC Uhlig							
5	ID	PAF	Highline	90% Monitor 10% Pt. Zone Protection	23 m ENE of Warren, ID	70,938	0	0%	10/15/17	NIMO Team Reinarz	1	1	0	0	1	IR flight to validate MAPs	Historic structures, residences, cabins, outbuildings
6	ID	BOF	Bearskin	50% Pt. Zone Protection 50% Full Suppression	21 m NE of Lowman, ID	24,278	+352	0%	10/15/17	NIMO Team Quesinberry	0	2	0	0	1	SEC2, SECM, & DIV	Cultural resources & historic guard station
7	ID	SCF	Ibex	75% Monitor 25% Pt. Zone Protection	21 nm W of Challis, ID	17,210	+280	0%	10/30/17	Type 3 IC Rhoades	0	1	1	0	0	Retain the T1 Helo	Trail/road closures, archaeological sites
8	ID	SCF	Honeymoon	70% Monitor 30% Point Protection	30nm NW of Stanley, ID	1,600	0	0%	10/31/17	Type 4 IC Severe	0	0	0	0	0	1 T1 Helicopter	Structure protection at Sulphur Creek Ranch.
9	WY	BTF	Pole Creek	Full Suppression	28 m SE of Afton, WY	3,504	0	55%	9/29/17	Type 3 IMT Taylor	0	2	0	0	1	None	Sage Grouse Habitat and private property
10	NV	WNA	Tohakum 2	Full Suppression	40 m N of Nixon, NV	94,221	0	95%	9/9/17	Type 2 IMT Bollier	0	3	1	0	3	1-T2 Helo, various overhead	Sage grouse habitat,structure protection, geothermal plant, transmission lines,

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## Evening Brief

Date: Thursday September 07, 2017

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### Weather Summary

#### \*\*\* Critical Lightning Spreads North & East Across the Great Basin through Friday \*\*\*

After nearly a week of abnormally hot and dry weather, lightning has returned too much of the Great Basin and will spread further north and east today into eastern ID/WY. Lightning will affect nearly all of the Great Basin today.

Thunderstorms may be on the wetter side in some areas, but should be moving relatively quick, which would minimize the overall amount of rainfall, especially across ID/WY/northern UT/northeast NV. Strong gusty outflow winds of 40-65 mph are likely with these storms today across these areas. We continue with **High Risk for Lightning** Friday across eastern Idaho, northern UT and WY although there will be significant areas of wetter storms across the entire region as well.

Drier weather returns to the northern half of the Great Basin by the weekend into early next week, with thunderstorms continuing over southern areas, although coverage of lightning may decrease.

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### Preparedness Levels

Great Basin	4
National	5

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#### Great Basin Fire Activity (from Irwin): Light Activity

New Fires and Acres: 13 fires for 80 acres; 1,927 acres large fire growth; 1 new large fire

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#### Resources:

- Crews: 14 T1 IHCs in GB: 11 Committed, 3 Day Off.
- GBCC has committed an estimated 98+ Type 3, 4, 6 engines.
- 2-T1 and 5-T2 helicopters are available in GACC.

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### Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Despite some recent moisture, fuels in many areas will range from normal late summer dryness, to near record dry levels, with the driest fuels in the Central Idaho mountains down to northern Utah. As thunderstorms increase and spread north and east across the Great Basin this week, fuels will moderate in most areas, but will still likely remain above normal over ID, Western WY and parts of Northern NV/UT.

We continue to have a Great Basin Fuels and Fire Behavior Advisory in effect for Nevada, Idaho and Utah, available at the following link:

[https://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/fuels\\_fire-danger/GB\\_Fuels\\_and\\_Fire\\_Behavior\\_Advisory.pdf](https://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/fuels_fire-danger/GB_Fuels_and_Fire_Behavior_Advisory.pdf)

## Current Incident Details

### Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Ragged Top*	2017-NVWID-020314	3	Not Contained	40.04483	118.747	NO
ELK*	2017-NVHTF-170513	0.1	Not Contained	36.36958	115.71694	OHMA
Heinz*	2017-NVRNOX-030681	0.1	Controlled 09/06/17	39.64694	119.9856	NO
Oneida Narrows*	2017-IDIFD-000247	5	Not Contained	42.27091	111.7497	NO
Heber Assist 2	2017-UTNES-001010	0.3	Not Contained	40.49336	111.4104	NO
Mackie	2017-NVELD-040223	0.1	Not Contained	37.46278	114.95722	NO
The E	2017-NVNNS-010468	15	Not Contained	40.835	115.785	OHMA
CROWS NEST	2017-NVDVT-000323	0.1	Not Contained	41.84167	116.18222	GHMA
RUSTY FLAT	2017-NVDVT-000322	0.1	Not Contained	41.93306	116.20944	GHMA
KETTLE	2017-UTNES-100357	1	Not Contained	40.28451	109.9624	NO

*\* fires occurred previous night, not previously reported*

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)